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Docket No. 1232-4494



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : Seiya OHTA Group Art Unit: 2615
Serial No : 09/211,132 Examiner: GENCO, B. C.
Filed : December 14, 1998
For : **OPTICAL EQUIPMENT AND ITS CONTROL METHOD, AND
COMPUTER-READABLE STORAGE MEDIUM**

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

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Sir:

Technology Center 2600

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for responding to the non-final Office Action dated **November 27, 2002**, in the above-identified application.

2. The communication in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested

☒ is filed herewith.

☐ has been filed on _____.

3. ☐ Applicant(s) is/are entitled to Small Entity Status.

☐ Statement has already been filed

4.

	Total Months Requested	Fee for Other than Small Entity	Fee for Small Entity
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a. ☐ one month \$110.00 \$55.00

b. ☒ two months \$410.00 \$205.00

c. ☐ three months \$930.00 \$465.00

d. ☐ four months \$1,450.00 \$725.00

e. ☐ five months \$1,970.00 \$985.00

f. ☐ An extension for _____ months has already been secured for filing the above-identified communication and the fee paid therefor of \$_____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. The fee for this extension (\$ _____), minus the fee previously paid (\$ _____) equals \$_____ (total fee due).


5. ☒ A check in the amount of **\$410.00** to cover the extension fee is attached.

6. ☐ Charge fee to Deposit Account No. _____, Order No. _____. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.
7. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required by this paper, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4503, Order No. 1232-4494. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.

Respectfully submitted,
MORGAN & FINNEGAN, L.L.P.

Dated: April 23, 2003

By: _____


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